



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/748,368 Applicants : Tyrrell et al.

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TC/A.U.: 1743
Examiner: Snay, Jeff
Confirmation No.: 7784

Docket No. : 0715.0013C Customer No. : 27896

Title : System for Detecting the Distribution of Fluorophores

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 23, 2006 for the above-identified application:

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	Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages)				
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Total Claims	31	- 34 =	0	x \$50.00	0
Independent Claims	4	- 4 =	0	x \$200.00	0
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 23, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.